Georgia Athletic and Entertainment Commission Commission Meeting February 15, 2018

The Commission Meeting for the Georgia Athletic and Entertainment Commission was held on Thursday, February 15, 2018 at The Sloppy Floyd Government Office Building 2 MLK Jr. Drive Atlanta, GA 30334.

The following Commissioners were present:	Others Present:
Seth Millican- Chairman- by phone	Matt Woodruff- Executive Director
Don Geary- Vice Chairman- by phone	Attorney General Office [Reagan Dean]
Rick Thompson- by phone	David Oblas
Dr. Walter Young	Ty Wright
	Carey Foster
	Henry Okafor
	Patrick Nwadiani

Seth Millican established that a quorum was present and the Georgia Athletic and Entertainment Commission meeting that was scheduled to begin at 11:00am and was called to order at 11:01am.

Motion to Approve the commission meeting minutes from January 18, 2018. Commissioner Rick Thompson makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Dr. Walter Young seconds, and the Commission votes 4-0 to approve.

Motion to Approve Bellator Sports Worldwide, LLC promoter license application. Commissioner Young makes a motion to approve. Vice Chairman Don Geary seconds, and the Commission votes 4-0 to approve.

Petition for Rule Waiver by Bellator Sports Worldwide, LLC. Commissioner Young makes a motion to approve. Vice Chairman Geary seconds, and the Commission votes 4-0 to approve.

Motion to Approve the 3/3/2018 Bellator Sports Worldwide, LLC event permit. Commissioner Young makes a motion to approve. Vice Chairman Geary seconds, and the Commission votes 4-0 to approve.

Motion to Approve the 3/9/2018 Alliance MMA event permit. Vice Chairman Geary makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Young seconds, and the Commission votes 4-0 to approve.

Petition for Rule Waiver by Alliance MMA for the 3/9/2018 event. Vice Chairman Geary makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Young seconds, and the Commission votes 4-0 to approve.

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Motion to Approve South Georgia Fighting Championship promoter license application. Vice Chairman Geary makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Young seconds, and the Commission votes 4-0 to approve.

Motion to Approve the 3/10/2018 South Georgia Fighting Championship event permit. Vice Chairman Geary makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Young seconds, and the Commission votes 4-0 to approve.

Motion to Approve the 3/17/2018 E. Butts Jr. Promotions event permit. Vice Chairman Geary makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Young seconds, and the Commission votes 4-0 to approve.

Motion to Approve Platinum Holdings International promoter license application. Vice Chairman Geary makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Young seconds, and the Commission votes 4-0 to approve.

Motion to Approve the 5/19/2018 Platinum Holdings International event permit. Vice Chairman Geary makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Young seconds, and the Commission votes 4-0 to approve.

Petition for Rule Waiver by Abraham Gray to fight under advanced amateur rules. Vice Chairman Geary makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Young seconds, and the Commission votes 4-0 to approve.

Request for Approval of the license application for Jaral Bowman. Vice Chairman Geary makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Young seconds, and the Commission votes 4-0 to approve.

Request for Approval of the license application for Ty Wright. Vice Chairman Geary makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Thompson seconds, and the Commission votes 4-0 to approve.

Update on Francisco Rivera's USADA Hearing from UFC 201. Vice Chairman Geary ask Matt Woodruff to monitor this fighter and if he tries to fight anywhere, let the Commission know.

Vice Chairman Geary left the meeting at 11:11am.

Discussion on weight cutting issues and solutions. Chairman Millican ask to get feedback from fighters, coaches and gyms and bring back to the Commission.

Discussion on Edward Aceves no show from January 20, 2018. Commissioner Thompson makes a motion to send a letter to appear notice for the March 15 meeting. Commissioner Young seconds, and the Commission votes 3-0.

Discussion on Robert Neal's no show from January 27, 2018. Commissioner Thompson makes a motion to send a letter to appear notice for the March 15 meeting. Commissioner Young seconds, and the Commission votes 3-0.

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Discussion on Elijah Wynter's no show from January 27, 2018. Commissioner Thompson makes a motion to send a letter to appear notice for the March 15 meeting. Commissioner Young seconds, and the Commission votes 3-0.

Discussion on Shea Taylor competing on March 30, 2018. Commissioner Thompson ask the Executive Director to work with Mr. Taylor to bring his application in front of the Commission at the March meeting.

Public Hearing on Dungeon Promotions. Commissioner Thompson makes a motion to delay the hearing until March. Commissioner Young seconds, and the Commission votes 3-0 to delay.

Public Comment: None

Commission Report: None

Attorney General's Report: None Executive Director's Report: None

Motion to adjourn. There being no further business to come before the Commission, the meeting was adjourned at 11:28am.